

**MINUTES OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON
TAX POLICY**

Wednesday, April 13, 2005

9:00 A.M. Room 521 House Office Building

Chairman Sheen called the meeting to order.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Reps. Sheen, Meyer, Gosselin, Newell, Drolet, Palmer, Hoogendyk, Stakoe, Jones, Marleau, Condino, Bieda, Farrah, Zelenko, Miller, Meisner, Bennett. (17/17)

MEMBERS ABSENT/EXCUSED: None. (0/17)

Jay Rising, representing the Michigan Department of Treasury, gave a presentation on the Governor's tax restructuring proposal.

The following people turned in testimony cards regarding the Governor's tax restructuring proposal but did not wish to speak:

Jerry Brown, representing Ford Motor Co., in support.

Don Van Singel, representing Daimler Chrysler, in support.

Joe Sproles, representing General Motors, in support.

Mike Mack, representing General Motors, in support.

Tom Woods, representing Delphi Corporation, in support.

Terry Vanderveen, representing Visteon Corp., in support

Mike Peters, representing the Michigan Electric Cooperation Association, in support.

Norman Johnson, representing Bosch Corp., in support.

Nancy Priemer, representing ANR Pipeline and Great Lakes Gas Transmission Co., in opposition.

The National Federation of Independent Business, in opposition.

Representative Condino moved to adopt the minutes of the March 23, 2005 meeting.

Representative Drolet supported the motion. Without objection, the minutes were approved.

There being no further business before the committee, **Chairman Sheen** declared the meeting adjourned, the time being 11:02 a.m.

Representative Fulton Sheen, Chair

Eric Esch, Committee Clerk (517) 373-2052